RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 **EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 2117**

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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Gutnik et al.

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CLOCK DISTRIBUTION CIRCUITS AND METHODS OF OPERATING SAME

THAT USE MULTIPLE CLOCK CIRCUITS CONNECTED BY PHASE

DETECTOR CIRCUITS TO GENERATE AND SYNCHRONIZE LOCAL CLOCK

SIGNALS

Date: September 24, 2008

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL AND INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Sir:

This response is submitted in reply to the Final Official Action mailed July 24, 2008. If any extension of time for the accompanying response or submission is required, Applicants request that this be considered a petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.